
Public Sector Audit Appointments – Supporting Information

1. Introduction/Background

1.1 To provide Members with the invitation to opt-in to the National Scheme.

2. Supporting Information

2.1 Attached is a copy of the invitation letter from the Public Sector Audit Appointments.

3. Options for Consideration

3.1 Support the national scheme for auditor appointments;

3.2 Establish a stand-alone audit panel with independent members;

3.3 Commence work on exploring the establishment of local joint procurement arrangements with neighbouring authorities.

4. Proposals

4.1 Members are requested to approve the decision to accept the invitation and to opt-in to the national scheme for auditor appointments.

5. Conclusion

5.1 The officer recommendation would be to approve the opting in of the national scheme and for members to ask full Council to consider and endorse the Government and Ethics committee's decision.

6. Consultation and Engagement

6.1 None

Background Papers: None

Subject to Call-In:

Yes: No:

Wards affected: Not Applicable

Strategic Aims and Priorities Supported:

The proposals will help achieve the following Council Strategy aim:

MEC – Become an even more effective Council

The proposals contained in this report will help to achieve the following Council Strategy priority:

MEC1 – Become an even more effective Council

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